

I am appalled by the decision of Sinclair Broadcasting to compel their stations to air this blatantly political film just weeks or days before the election and to air it under the guise of news reporting. This is one more example of the dangers of media consolidation. These conglomerates, who use the public airwaves free of charge, seem to have no sense of responsibility to their role in a democratic society. The fourth estate has degenerated into little more than entertainment. It's as though they believe the American people aren't capable of comprehending anything longer than a sound bite. It's the role of the FCC to protect the interests of the public. We're depending on you to do that.